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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. M4065.0369/P369-A

First Inventor Shane J. Trapp

Title METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR, etc.

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.

3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 30]

(preferred arrangement set forth below)

- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross Reference to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the invention
- Brief Summary of the invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 2]

5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 2]

- a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
- b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

- i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

☐ Continuation ☒ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: 09/752,685

Prior application information: Examiner

T. Pham

Group / Art Unit:

2813

For CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2002

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Application Number	Not Yet Assigned
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METHOD OF PAYMENT

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Deposit Account Name **Dickstein Shapiro Morin & Oshinsky LLP**

☒ Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2. ☒ Payment Enclosed

☒ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE		Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	740	201	370					Utility filing fee	740.00
106	330	206	165					Design filing fee	
107	510	207	255					Plant filing fee	
108	740	208	370					Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214	80					Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)									740.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims **10** -20** = ☐ X ☐ = ☐ Fee Paid **0.00**

Independent Claims **1** -3** = ☐ X ☐ = ☐ Fee Paid **0.00**

Multiple Dependent ☐ = ☐ Fee Paid **0.00**

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9					Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42					Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140					Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	84	209	42					** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9					** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 0.00

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES		Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65					Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25					Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130					Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520					For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*					Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*					Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55					Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200					Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217	460					Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218	720					Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980					Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160					Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160					Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140					Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510					Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55					Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640					Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242	640					Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230					Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310					Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130					Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50					Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126	180					Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40					Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	740	246	370					Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370					For each additional invention to be examined (37CFR 1.129(b))	
179	740	279	370					Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900					Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify)									
*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid									
SUBTOTAL (3) (\$)									0.00

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